

# **AN EXTENDED TETHERING APPROACH FOR RAPID IDENTIFICATION OF LIGANDS**

## Abstract of the Disclosure

The invention concerns a method for rapid identification and characterization of binding partners for a target molecule, and for providing binding partners with improved binding affinity. More specifically, the invention concerns an improved tethering method for the rapid identification of at least two binding partners that bind near one another to a target molecule.

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